

ABSTRACT

The present invention provides a chromate-free
coated metal sheet excellent in corrosion resistance and
5 coating material adhesion and having little affect on
environment. The precoated metal sheet of the invention
is a coated metal sheet comprising a metal sheet having
on at least one surface thereof a film mainly comprising
one or both of a metal oxide and a metal hydroxide each
10 using a metal species exclusive of chromium, the
precoated metal sheet having one or both of cracks in the
film and pits on the underlying sheet and having an
organic coat layer on the film.